## Donate Your Computers and Electronics to Goodwill and Help People with Disabilities Achieve Their Dreams

At Goodwill, it is our mission to assist people with disabilities and other barriers to employment to live independently and become employed. When you make a donation to Goodwill, you're helping to make dreams come true for people with disabilities right here in your community.

Donate your electrical items (i.e. household appliances, stereo equipment, etc.) and all computer items (i.e. accessories, hardware, software, monitors, printers, etc.) at any of our Goodwill Donation Centers throughout coastal Georgia.

Computers and related technological equipment donated to Goodwill are recyclable. That means your donations are put to use, and don't clutter landfills. Desktops, laptops, monitors, mice, and keyboards are refurbished and sold in our stores, and the proceeds help to fund our many training programs. In short, your donated computer creates jobs and resources for people with disabilities. Your donated computer also provides an opportunity for low-income families to purchase professionally refurbished PC systems at a price they can afford.

And, because protecting your identity is as important as protecting the environment, every computer donated to Goodwill undergoes a stringent cleansing process. Hard-drives (the portion of your computer that holds your programs and information) are immediately removed and placed in a locked container. They are then "wiped" of all personal information using a Department of Defense approved program called "DBAN". Only after this process is performed are these hard drives re-used or recycled. This ensures that all personal information is destroyed before anyone else opens a donated computer.

So visit Goodwill when it's time to recycle your used electronics or computers, or call us for large or corporate donations.

You can help create a better community and a brighter future for people with disabilities in Georgia. Here's how:

- Conduct a clothing drive with your church, workplace, book club, school or neighborhood association
- Donate clothes, computers, or even cars
- Shop in our stores
- Employ graduates of Goodwill programs
- Refer disabled job seekers to Goodwill for career training
- Make a financial dift to Goodwill
- Join us for a Brunch. Learn & Tour
- Remember Goodwill in your estate planning
- Volunteer
- Schedule a Goodwill ambassador/speaker for your next event



**GOODWILL COMPUTER STORE**